

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**AMENDMENT**

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**Sir:**

In response to the non-final Office Action dated February 20, 2008, for which a response is due May 20, 2008, please amend the claims and enter the remarks as follows:

- **Listing and Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper; and
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.